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## Department of Health and Hospitals Office of the Secretary Bureau of Health Services Financing

### Medicaid Eligibility Manual



The Department of Health and Hospitals, Office of the Secretary, Bureau of Health Services Financing has adopted the following rule in the Medicaid Program as authorized by R.S. 46:153 and pursuant to Title XIX of the Social Security Act. This rule is in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq.

#### Rule

The Bureau of Health Services Financing adopts the state and federal requirements and procedures governing the determination of eligibility of persons applying for coverage under Title XIX of the Social Security Act which are incorporated in the Medicaid Eligibility Manual, including interim policy guidelines adopted herein. The Medicaid Eligibility Manual contains the following sections:

- A) Abbreviations/Acronyms/Definition- Outline;
- B) Introduction - Outline;
- C) Medical Services - Outline;
- D) Persons Eligible - Outline;
- E) Category - Outline;
- F) Medical Programs - Outline;
- G) Application Process - Outline;
- H) Eligibility Determinations;
- I) Eligibility Outline - Factors;
- J) Issuing Medical Eligibility Cards;
- K) Redeterminations;
- L) Changes - Outline;
- M) Transfer - Outline;
- N) Special Processing - Outline;
- O) Prior Authorization - Outline;
- P) Third Party Liability - Outline;
- Q) Inquiries and Complaints - Outline;
- R) Reserved;
- S) Verification and Documentation - Outline;
- T) Fair Hearings - Outline;
- U) Fraud and Recovery;
- Z) Charts - Outline.

The full text of the Medicaid Eligibility Manual may be obtained from the Department of Health and Hospitals, Bureau of Health Services Financing or the Office of the State Register for \$256.50. Reference the document number 9605#040.

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